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Production of
ICE CREAM
and
RELATED FROZEN PRODUCTS
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ICE CREAM PRODUCTION

Ice cream production in the United States in June was estimated at 71,620,000 gallons, the Crop Reporting Board reports. This was 1 percent larger than the enumerated totals in both June 1962 and the 1957-61 average for the month. Production in the first six months of this year was 1 percent more than in the first half of 1962 and 6 percent larger than the 5-year average for this period. The seasonal gain from May to June was 8 percent, the same as in 1962. This compares with 12 percent on the average in the 1957-61 period. Temperatures during June were above normal in a large portion of the country, but were below normal in two areas, as follows: (1) Most of the country east of the Mississippi River and south from southern Illinois and Indiana, Lake Erie and New Jersey, but excluding the Florida peninsula, and (2) the area westward from western portions of Texas, Colorado, Wyoming and southwestern Montana.

Compared with June 1962, changes in ice cream production by regions were mixed. Output was up 3 percent in the North Atlantic States and 4 percent in the West North Central. Production was unchanged in both the East North Central Region and the South Atlantic. Decreases in the remaining regions were 1 percent in the Pacific and 3 percent in both the South Central and the Mountain. In the three leading states, production was up 13 percent in New York and 5 percent in Pennsylvania, but down 1 percent in California.

Compared with the 5-year average for June, changes by regions were also varied. Ice cream production decreased 2 percent in the Pacific States and 4 percent in the South Central. Output was about the same as the average in the North Atlantic Region. Increases in all other regions were 6 percent in the West North Central, 5 percent in the South Atlantic and 1 percent in both the East North Central and the Mountain. In the three most important ice cream-producing states, production was 1 percent above average in New York while only fractionally larger in Pennsylvania. Output in California was 3 percent below the average.

Revised ice cream estimates, by states, for January-May 1963 are shown on page 5. Enumerated data for 1962, by states and months, will be available about July 30 in annual release "Production of Manufactured Dairy Products" which may be secured upon request to this office.

PRODUCTION OF ICE CREAM, UNITED STATES, 1963

MONTH	1957-61			ESTIMATED	CHANGE FROM:	
	Average 1/	1961 1/	1962 1/	1963 2/	1957-61 Av.	1962
	Thousand Gallons				Percent	
January	43,244	44,138	45,447	46,680	+ 8	+ 3
February	44,160	45,279	47,177	47,000	+ 6	0
March	52,322	58,855	55,530	55,500	+ 6	0
April	55,511	53,187	57,967	60,965	+ 10	+ 5
May	63,437	64,170	66,119	66,375	+ 5	0
June	71,130	73,021	71,219	71,620	+ 1	+ 1
SIX MONTH TOTAL	329,804	338,650	343,459	348,140	+ 6	+ 1

1/From enumerations. 2/Revised January-May.

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ICE MILK PRODUCTION

Ice milk manufacture in the United States during June was placed at 22,430,000 gallons, according to the Crop Reporting Board. This was 3 percent less than in June 1962, but 36 percent more than the 1957-61 June average. Cumulative output the first half of this year, totaling 90,830,000 gallons, was 2 percent more than in the first six months of 1962 and 45 percent greater than the 5-year average for the period.

Output gained 12 percent from May to June, compared with 11 percent in 1962 and 17 percent on the average in the 1957-61 period. Seasonal gains occurred in all regions of the country.

Compared with June 1962, ice milk production decreased in all regions except the East North Central and the South Central, where it increased moderately.

PRODUCTION OF ICE MILK, UNITED STATES, 1963

MONTH	1957-61 Average 1/	1961 1/	1962 1/	ESTIMATED 1963 2/	CHANGE FROM:	
					1957-61 Av. 1	1962
	Thousand Gallons				Percent	
January	5,785	7,033	7,839	8,945	+ 55	+ 14
February	6,214	7,650	9,130	9,630	+ 55	+ 5
March	8,708	11,282	12,568	13,370	+ 54	+ 6
April	11,188	12,500	15,630	16,345	+ 46	+ 5
May	14,069	16,237	20,706	20,110	+ 43	- 3
June	16,509	20,198	23,026	22,430	+ 36	- 3
SIX MONTH TOTAL	62,473	74,900	88,899	90,830	+ 45	+ 2

1/From enumerations. 2/Revised January-May.

SHERBET PRODUCTION

June production of sherbet in the United States, at 5,090,000 gallons, was 3 percent less than the enumerated total in June 1962 and 2 percent smaller than the 1957-61 average for the month. Total output the first half of 1963 was 1 percent smaller than in the corresponding period of 1962, but 7 percent larger than the 1957-61 average.

Sherbet production gained 15 percent between May and June. This compares with 10 percent in 1962 and the average of 21 percent in the preceding 5-year period. Seasonal increases occurred in all regions except the Mountain. Compared with June 1962, output increased in the West North Central Region, the South Atlantic and the Pacific. Production decreased in all the remaining regions.

PRODUCTION OF SHERBET, UNITED STATES, 1963

MONTH	1957-61 Average 1/	1961 1/	1962 1/	ESTIMATED 1963 2/	CHANGE FROM:	
					1957-61 Av. 1	1962
	Thousand Gallons				Percent	
January	1,784	1,971	2,073	2,125	+ 19	+ 3
February	1,865	2,054	2,144	2,130	+ 14	- 1
March	2,585	3,088	2,806	2,930	+ 13	+ 4
April	3,263	3,192	3,463	3,690	+ 13	+ 6
May	4,320	4,496	4,767	4,410	+ 2	- 7
June	5,210	5,221	5,264	5,090	- 2	- 3
SIX MONTH TOTAL	19,027	20,022	20,522	20,375	+ 7	- 1

1/From enumerations. 2/Revised January-May.

"MELLORINE-TYPE" FROZEN DESSERTS PRODUCTION

U.S. production of Mellorine and other frozen desserts made with fats and oils other than milkfat was estimated at 5,165,000 gallons in June, the Crop Reporting Board reports. This was 7 percent less than the enumerated total in June 1962, but was 10 percent more than the 1957-61 average for the month. The January-June output was 1 percent below the 6-month total a year earlier, but 22 percent above the average.

Mellorine production was unchanged from May. This compares with a 6-percent advance between May and June in 1962 and a 12-percent gain on the average in the 1957-61 period. Output declined in Indiana, South Carolina, Oklahoma, Texas, Arizona and Nevada. Production was steady in Alabama, while it increased in all other producing states.

Compared with June 1962, output increased only in South Carolina, Arkansas, Arizona and Nevada. Decreases were shown in all remaining Mellorine-producing states.

PRODUCTION OF "MELLORINE-TYPE" FROZEN DESSERTS, UNITED STATES 1963

MONTH	1957-61			ESTIMATED	CHANGE FROM:	
	Average 1/	1961 1/	1962 1/	1963 2/	1957-61 Av.	1962
		Thousand Gallons			Percent	
January	2,361	2,825	3,006	3,205	+ 36	+ 7
February	2,590	3,066	3,429	3,115	+ 20	- 9
March	3,223	4,044	3,943	4,175	+ 30	+ 6
April	3,534	3,948	4,231	4,315	+ 22	+ 2
May	4,175	4,737	5,214	5,165	+ 24	- 1
June	4,686	5,277	5,534	5,165	+ 10	- 7
SIX MONTH TOTAL	20,569	23,897	25,357	25,140	+ 22	- 1

1/From enumerations. 2/Revised January-May.

WATER ICE PRODUCTION

Water ice production in the United States during June, at 5,345,000 gallons, was 5 percent less than in June 1962 and 4 percent smaller than the 1957-61 average for the month. Total production in the first half of 1963 was 5 percent less than in the first six months of 1962, but 3 percent more than the 5-year average. Production of water ices advanced 14 percent from May to June this year, compared with 4 percent a year earlier and 21 percent on the average in the 1957-61 period.

Compared with June 1962, water ice output decreased in all regions except the West, where it increased sharply.

PRODUCTION OF WATER ICES, UNITED STATES 1963

MONTH	1957-61	1961 1/	1962 1/	ESTIMATED	CHANGE FROM:	
	Average 1/			1963 2/	1957-61 Av.	1962
		Thousand Gallons			Percent	
January	720	794	736	835	+ 16	+ 13
February	907	1,085	1,026	1,010	+ 11	- 2
March	1,840	2,280	1,898	2,080	+ 13	+ 10
April	3,146	2,742	3,438	3,340	+ 6	- 3
May	4,585	4,276	5,382	4,675	+ 2	- 13
June	5,549	5,754	5,622	5,345	- 4	- 5
SIX MONTH TOTAL	16,747	16,931	18,102	17,285	+ 3	- 5

1/From enumerations. 2/Revised January-May.

REVISED ESTIMATES OF ICE CREAM PRODUCTION: JANUARY - MAY 1963 1/

STATE AND GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION	JANUARY 1963	FEBRUARY 1963	MARCH 1963	APRIL 1963	MAY 1963
	Thousand Gallons				
Massachusetts	1,960	2,060	2,250	2,800	3,100
Connecticut	530	560	695	660	840
New York	4,750	4,650	5,800	5,960	6,700
New Jersey	1,000	1,100	1,320	1,850	2,060
Pennsylvania	4,350	4,950	5,360	6,160	6,800
Other N.A. States ...	630	710	735	875	1,045
NO. ATLANTIC STATES	13,220	14,030	16,160	18,305	20,545
Ohio	2,700	2,750	3,100	3,500	3,900
Indiana	2,000	1,390	2,410	2,470	2,490
Illinois	2,590	2,600	3,040	3,370	3,720
Michigan	2,150	2,100	2,250	2,600	2,990
Wisconsin	1,720	1,630	1,800	2,020	1,980
E. N. CENTRAL STATES	11,160	10,970	12,600	13,960	15,080
Minnesota	1,380	1,330	1,560	1,700	1,780
Iowa	610	600	810	950	860
Missouri	1,170	1,110	1,340	1,740	1,880
N. & S. Dakota	345	335	360	400	410
Nebraska	700	730	840	850	850
Kansas	420	470	530	550	590
W. N. CENTRAL STATES	4,625	4,575	5,440	6,190	6,370
District of Columbia	500	510	640	550	640
Maryland	920	920	1,100	1,200	1,310
Virginia	940	830	1,045	1,125	1,250
West Virginia	200	315	410	450	460
North Carolina	1,010	990	1,180	1,385	1,400
Georgia	540	565	705	770	800
Florida	1,410	1,460	1,730	1,730	1,620
Other S.A. States ...	560	570	605	735	755
SO. ATLANTIC STATES	6,080	6,160	7,415	7,945	8,235
Tennessee	910	870	1,150	1,310	1,370
Alabama	590	515	600	755	795
Louisiana	470	450	580	690	770
Oklahoma	320	335	415	450	525
Texas	1,530	1,460	1,865	2,015	2,190
Other S.C. States ...	610	575	770	960	1,140
SO. CENTRAL STATES	4,430	4,205	5,380	6,180	6,790
Colorado	475	640	765	610	875
Other Mt. States	1,065	1,080	1,220	1,385	1,560
MOUNTAIN STATES	1,540	1,720	1,985	1,995	2,435
Washington	1,000	960	1,200	1,180	1,090
Oregon	435	390	470	475	580
California	4,190	3,990	4,850	4,735	5,250
PACIFIC STATES	5,625	5,340	6,520	6,390	6,920
UNITED STATES	46,680	47,000	55,500	60,965	66,375

1/These 1963 state revisions were made as a result of shifting the base from the 1962 estimates to the 1962 enumerated data.

